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PLEASE PASS TO O.K. SOWARD, US ARMY, FESA, FT BELVOIR

E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJECT: POWER BARGE WEBER

REF: A) SANTO DOMINGO 214, B) STATE 8528, C) SECDEF 5983 282215Z

1. VISITING DOD TEAM,EMBOFFS, AND AID OFFICIAL HAVE HAD FURTHER DISCUSSIONS WITH CDE ADMINISTRATOR JULIO SAURI AND NAVY CHIEF OF STAFF COMMODORE FRANCISCO JAVIER RIVERA CAMINERO, WITH GOOD RESULTS SO FAR.

2. RIVERA INDICATED THAT HE WAS AGREEABLE TO TOWING. SAURI AND RIVERA AGREED ORALLY IN THE PRESENCE OF EMBOFFS THAT SAURI WOULD REIMBURSE DOMINICAN NAVY ONLY FOR COSTS.

3. RIVERA INDICATED HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE WEBER BROUGHT OUT FROM FT. BELVOIR TO A POINT WHERE TRANSFER COULD BE EASILY MADE AND NAVIGATIONAL CHARTS WERE AVAILABLE.

4. RIVERA AGREED THAT TWO TECHNICIANS FROM WEBER COULD TRAVEL ABOARD DOMINICAN TUG DURING TOWING.

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5. SAURI HAS REPEATEDLY STATED ORALLY THAT HE WILL PURCHASE INSURANCE TO COVER FULL VALUE OF WEBER WHILE IN TRANSIT.

6. SUBSEQUENTLY, DOD TEAM AND EMBOFFS INSPECTED DOMINICAN NAVY OCEANGOING TUGBOAT OF 1,640 TONS DISPLACEMENT AND FOUR MOTORS OF 640 HORSEPOWER WHICH RIVERA PROPOSES USING. TUGBOAT HAS

CAPABILITY FOR TOWING WEBER, BUT DOMINICAN NAVY WILL NEED TO OBTAIN NEW 1,200-FOOT STEEL CABLE TO TOW IT.

7. IF INSURMOUNTABLE DREDGING PROBLEMS SHOULD DEVELOP IN SAN PEDRO DE MACORIS AT SITE NEXT TO POWER PLANT, SAURI PROPOSES MOORING BARGE ABOUT 300 YARDS FURTHER DOWN STREAM NEXT TO OLD WHARF. DOD TEAM BELIEVES THIS SITE ALSO QUITE SATISFACTORY.

8. DOD TEAM BELIEVES PROBLEMS RAISED IN PARA 3, REFTEL C, HAVE BEEN REASONABLY RESOLVED.

9. EMBASSY/AID HAS APPOINTMENT MONDAY MORNING WITH SAURI TO DISCUSS REVOLVING FUND DESCRIBED REFTEL B. AT THAT TIME HE WILL BE REMINDED AGAIN OF INSURANCE.
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